

Sources and Resources for Native Plants

Gardening 101 – Native Plants Section

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Some Sources for Native Plants

GPMGA Garden Fair & Seed Share – Saturday, March 14, 2026 – Goochland Sports Complex in Goochland County

GPMGA GardenFest – Saturday, April 25, 2026 – Goochland Sports Complex in Goochland County

Spring Plant Sale – Thursday, April 30, and Friday, May 1, 2026 - Lewis Ginter Botanical Garden in Henrico County

GPMGA Pollinator Fair & Plant Sale – September 19 (to be confirmed) – Fighting Creek Park in Powhatan

Facebook Virginia Native Plant Swap Page

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/vanativeplantswap>

Virginia Native Plant Society Plant Nursery List

<https://vnps.org/native-plant-nursery-list/>

Resources

Digital Atlas of the Flora of Virginia

<https://vaplantatlas.org/>

Virginia Native Plants Finder

<https://www.dcr.virginia.gov/natural-heritage/native-plants-finder>

North Carolina Extension Master Gardener Toolbox

<https://plants.ces.ncsu.edu/>

Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center

<https://www.wildflower.org/>

Plant Virginia Natives

<https://www.plantvirginianatives.org/>

Plant Northern Virginia Natives - Vegetable Gardening for Earth Renewal

Geared toward vegetable gardeners. From Northern Virginia, but much is applicable to our local area.

[https://www.plantnovanatives.org/vegetable-gardening#:~:text=Choose%20plants%20that%20tolerate%20compaction%20since%20you,\(Pens%20temon%20digitalis\)%20and%20Calico%20Aster%20\(Symphytotrichum%20lateriflorum\).](https://www.plantnovanatives.org/vegetable-gardening#:~:text=Choose%20plants%20that%20tolerate%20compaction%20since%20you,(Pens%20temon%20digitalis)%20and%20Calico%20Aster%20(Symphytotrichum%20lateriflorum).)